think if what he'd have to do on that particular item, is line veto the whole item, the \$200,000.00 or the program whatever it is, and then send the bill back to us because the bill is not going to say \$150,000.00 or \$200,000.00, it's going to say \$200,000.00, and if he puts that out rather than reducing the appropriation down, I think he is going to have to send the entire bill back to us and then we are going to have to work the bill over here.

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SENATOR CARPENTER: May I intervene there. We have the same problem in Nebraska that you've got in the Federal Government. Mr. Nixon says this same thing, he says I'm going to get the legislatures off your back and their hand out of your pocket and this morning he said on television, the Chief Assistant said, this is a one man rule we admit it. He said that Congress can do nothing about it. You get to the same question that I make here, the court has to determine it and the Federal anyway, now what they do in the state I don't know, but I would think the same thing is reasonably similar. Now we have the same problem that I'm going to bring up another matter pretty soon, which again whether this legislature wants to take back those things that I think is theirs, or whether or not you want a commission to obstruct the desires of this body as I understand it. I'm not talking about the deal we discussed yesterday, I'm talking about the renovation of the twelve offices which are really not doing anything now of no purpose in which the body has said, at least I think they've said, and the legislative Executive Council has said, in fact they elected a Chairman, to make an inquiry which he did. We're asking for an amount necessary to construct the rules, but the building commission says no, this building belongs to the people and not the legislature, well I have never seen Mr. Smith's name on any ballot, and as long as they take that attitude that's as long as it's going to remain in that position. Now unless you people want to recommend the introduction of a bill to disarm the building commission and appoint another one, composed entirely of elected officials of this state, you're going to be in that position of a second class legislature. like to make a motion to, or suggestion to Senator Marvel, this is a highly complicated question. I don't know how we can have it determined by a court before we adjourn but I think if there is any way we ought to attempt to do it. to the point of introducing a bill and letting the Chief Executive create the problem by lining out a part of the item or something, but we have to get this thing into the court, because if the Governor says I'm not going to send the bill back, how are we going to get him to send it back? I have no idea what he is going to do, I've never talked to him about this subject. So I think we have to bring something about what we, just like Mr. Nixon, I'm not going to do it, you can't make me do it. The only recourse we have we three branches of government, the judicial, executive and the legislative. In this case the judicial has to determine this thing, and they can't determine anything unless they have something before them that has already happened. So I'd like to suggest to Senator Marvel, only a suggestion in this body, that he proceed in the broad area of what we are talking about to bring about the request of an opinion from the Attorney General to answer all the questions we are talking about and basically if the Governor of this state doesn't want to send the bill back what recourse does this legislature have in the area of over spending and finding out and new programs.

SPEAKER: Senator Marvel.

SENATOR MARVEL: This will be added to the other questions that we are already in the process of posing to the Attorney General. Okay.

SPEAKER: Senator Fred Carstens asked to be recognized. Senator Carstens, then Senator Stahmer, then Senator Whitney, then Senator Barnett, then Senator Syas.